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PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 04853.0073

BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

In re Application of:) Confirmation No. 8411
Hisashi SEMBA et al.) Group Art Unit: 1651
Application No.: 09/870,821) Examiner: S. Saucier
Filed: June 1, 2001)
For: AN ENZYME REACTION)
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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated December 22, 2003, of the Examiner.

The items checked below are appropriate:

1. ☐ A Petition for extension of time to respond to the final rejection was filed on [Date] extending the period for response to [Date].
2. ☒ A Petition for extension of time to further extend the period for response to May 22, 2004, is enclosed. Please charge \$420.00 to Deposit Account No. 06-0916 for two-month extension fee.
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☐ is enclosed or ☒ is to be charged to Deposit Account No. 06-0916.
4. ☒ Please charge a total of \$750.00 to Deposit Account No. 06-0916 to cover the above fees.

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Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: May 21, 2004

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Linda Phillips